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Laurence J. Cull, et al.)	Examiner: To Be Assigned
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Serial Number: To Be Assigned)	Art Unit: To Be Assigned
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Filed: To Be Assigned)	Docket No.: P03195
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Title: PERISTALTIC PUMP WITH AIR VENTING VIA THE)	
MOVEMENT OF A PUMP HEAD OR A BACKING)	
PLATE DURING SURGERY)	

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.97(b)

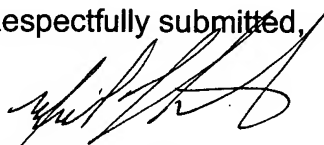
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Honorable Sir:

In accordance with Applicants' duty under 37 CFR 1.56 with regard to the above-identified application, enclosed herewith is PTO form 1449 having listed thereon patents and publications known to the Applicants.

Should there be any questions regarding this communication, please contact the undersigned at (636) 226-3197.

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